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CAN I Learn to Fly?—By—

WILLIAM R. NELSON

Use of the Stabilizer

IN THIS emergency or tail assembly of an airplane is a small horizontal control wing which appears stationary. It is just ahead of the elevator, that bigger wing which, hinged at its front, moves up and down. The horizontal part is the stabilizer, and it is not stationary.

In the pilot's cockpit is a small control wheel or lever, as the case may be, which will move the stabilizer. I was taught its use, which is important and quite simple to learn. "In level flight let go of the stick and watch the nose of the plane," my instructor began. "If the nose remains headed for the horizon, the stabilizer is set the way it should be. If the nose climbs, turn this wheel at your left side forward until the climbing stops. If the nose has a tendency to go down, pull backward on the top of the wheel until it comes up to horizon and stays there."

In the air my instructor put the plane in a level position and cautioned me to look along the "altimeter." I used to spot horizon. Then he let go of the stick and the nose began to climb. A forward movement of the small wheel brought it down.

"Now I'll change the stabilizer and you adjust it," he said through the speaking tube. As he did so the nose began to drop. I pulled back on the top of the wheel and it came up slowly. A forward movement on the wheel and the nose went down again. Back and forth, not over four inches either way, I moved the wheel freely finding that position at which the nose of the ship held to a level position.

"You will find that you will have to adjust the stabilizer when you fly solo," he explained. "When I set out the weight charts and that shows the plane out of balance. If you were on a long cross-country flight you would have to adjust the stabilizer to compensate for the difference in weight caused by the consumption of fuel."

After four turns about the field he suggested another solo flight. Some thing within me told me not to try it and I begged off.

"If you feel that way," he answered, "I don't want you to go alone."

That lesson of mine was another new experience. What caused it I'll never know.

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THE CITIZEN-PRINTERS

BUSINESS PITFALLS IN FARM DISTRICTS

Bankers Point Out Hazards of Unsound Practices and Help Farmers to Avoid Them.

WAYS in which bankers may discourage unsound farm practices are described by President F. D. Farrell of the Kansas State Agricultural College in the American Bankers Association Journal, it says:

"In Kansas in connection with the importation of dairy cattle, a large shipment of very inferior animals came into a county to be sold at auction to local farmers. The county agricultural agent informed the bankers that the cattle would be a detriment to the community. The bankers refused to finance the purchase of the cattle and the sale was abandoned. The cattle were shipped to another county. The county agent and the bankers there did as was done in the first instance and the second county escaped."

"A year ago creamery promoters began trying to capitalize the Kansas farmers' desire to improve his markets by inducing communities of farmers to purchase creamery plants before production and local conditions justified them. Informed of this by the State Agricultural College, the bankers association sent warnings to every bank in the state, leading many to refuse to support the creamery promoters until the college approved the plant for the community concerned. This saved many communities loss from the premature establishment of plants."

"A third way bankers can discourage unsound practices is to refuse to finance farmers who wish to pyramid their enterprises, a temptation difficult to resist. This is illustrated among farmers who buy cattle for feeding purposes. A farmer feeds two or three cows of cattle one year and makes a good profit. This induces him to buy twice or three times as many the second year, still more the third and so on until he finally loses more by having too many cattle on feed in a year of bad prices than he made in several previous years with smaller numbers and better prices. When bankers discourage bad practices their action is a positive benefit to the farmers concerned."

WHAT A KEY BANKER DID FOR HIS COUNTY

The farmers of one county in Tennessee are receiving \$400,000 additional annual income from new farm enterprises started since 1926 through the efforts of a "key banker" and the county agent, according to estimates from the Tennessee College of Agriculture. A "key banker" is a part of the state bankers' association voluntary field force cooperating with the American Bankers Association in its nationwide plan for bringing about better agricultural conditions through combined banker-farmer effort. New projects started in this particular county are tobacco, Irish potato and cabbage production for cash crops, and dairying and poultry raising for livestock.

The key banker, looking for something to do to better his community, first attempted to procure a county agent but was unable to get the county to make the necessary appropriation, so he and other leading citizens made up the requisite funds through private subscription among farmers and business men and an agent was employed. The banker recognized the disadvantages of this. It afforded a low cash income, and the land was too hilly and rough for profitable grain raising. His idea was to introduce cash crops that offered more return per acre and were better fitted to the county. It was decided that the county should standardize on the Green Mountain potato and to market it in carload lots. Through his bank he sponsored the buying of a car of certified seed potatoes. He likewise bought several high quality tobacco seed and several hundred seedlings of purebred eggs. These supplies were distributed at cost through the banks to the farmers.

After considerable effort a market for dairy products was assured the farmers when in 1928 a national cheese company located a factory there. A county appropriation was secured for county agent work in 1929.

In 1929 the cash crop program resulted in farmers selling \$45,000 worth of potatoes, \$125,000 worth of tobacco and fifty-five carloads of potatoes and cabbage, mostly through cooperative sales.

This was some step from the \$25,000 worth of cash crops in 1926. The county agent says, "and indications are that this amount will be doubled."

Banks Favor Diversification

Emphasis was placed on the strategic position the banker holds through the use of directed credit at a recent meeting of the Alabama bankers' agricultural committee. Alabama is confronted with the problem of over-production of cotton. The committee recommended to banks that credit be extended on the basis of a twenty-five per cent reduction in cotton acreage. The value of growing other crops than cotton was strongly stressed and county outlook meetings are being planned with the thought of bringing about a more balanced agricultural program in the various communities.

County News

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Hazel Velma Davis spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar P. Brown at Bryant Pond. Miss Bettie Sawyer of Lewiston was a week end guest of Mrs. Caroline Elcher of this place.

Laronel Elcher of Lewiston was also a guest of his mother at A. M. Andrews' over the week end and Patriots Day.

Joseph Timothy Bryant is planning to take down his old barn and erect a modern up-to-date barn on the same site. This has been a dream of his life time and Mr. Bryant eagerly looks forward to see an old time raising with a baked bean dinner with Indian pudding and pumpkin pie for the helpers.

Everyone is decidedly better from the effects of whooping cough and as there are no more to have it we shall soon be O. K. once more. Nearly all have had it lightly and have been out doors every day.

Lester Felt was at Norway recently where he sat for school photographs. He is a senior of Woodstock High.

An error in last week's items said Atwood Radcliff was coming from Claud Cushman's when it should have read Atwood Radcliff was returning to Claud Cushman's for his third season's work in the employment of Mr. Cushman on the well known Alden Chase farm.

A. M. Andrews and Harland Andrews are having modern bathrooms installed at their residences.

Corry Bonney of West Sumner is visiting and working for A. M. Andrews.

Gerald Benson, Gayden Davis, Elmer Davis and Ellis Davis have been stacking boards for A. M. Andrews and Son. Charlie Sanborn is working for Benson Brothers. His father, Simon Sanborn, remains as caretaker for Benson Brothers on the old Luther Whitman place.

Leland Austin was a week end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis at the Davis Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin of Bryant Pond announce the birth of a daughter, Bessie Edith, Wednesday morning, April 15 at the maternity home of Mrs. Edna Emery of West Paris.

The Willing Workers will meet with Mrs. Cora Andrews Wednesday. It is hoped every member can attend and enjoy the meeting.

Mrs. Inez Whitman was a recent visitor at her cousins', Mr. and Mrs. Albert Felt's. Mrs. Verna Swan, her daughter, was also a visitor there.

Gayden Davis was trucking hay for George Buck of West Paris Monday.

NORTH LOVELL

The Rev. Mr. Bull-preached Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Brandon and wife are having their vacation now. Tuesday was Farm Bureau day in North Lovell.

Miss Sophie Butters has finished her work at Mrs. Abbie McKee's. Mrs. McKee is much better.

Isma Coleman and two little children have been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McKee. Mrs. Coleman began work at Farrington's Hotel on Monday.

Everyone in town of the male population is going or has been after smelts. Many are coming in town for the salmon fishing class.

John Meserve has moved his stock to the farm in Albany. Lester Butters has gone with him to assist with the spring work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Andrews and daughter Bessie of Brighton also Mrs. Wendell Plummer and children of Sweden were guests at George Mills' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills have sold their place here and expect to leave soon. Neighbors and friends will miss them very much.

Mrs. Prudent Bedard and baby Eudora from Fryeburg are visiting Mrs. Bedard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Butters.

School begins Tuesday for the spring term. The teacher, Mrs. Penfold, will board at Mrs. Lottie Palmer's, as Mrs. Jerkey McKee, with whom she has boarded the past year, is in poor health.

Circle Friday evening with the picture, "The Yankee Clipper," is being looked forward to.

UPTON

Lee Abbott recently traded his Dodge for a Hudson. Then Wilfred Richard traded with the dealer and got Abbott's Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Mrs. Bertha Jenkins, Mrs. Dan Barnett, Mrs. Rona Lane, Mrs. Dacie Warren, Mrs. Gladys Angevine, Mrs. Mary Vail, and Mrs. Addie Colby attended Pythian Sisterhood meeting at Errol, N. H., Tuesday evening of this week.

J. W. Whitney saved Enoch Abbott's wood Monday this week. Mr. Abbott now has a crew splitting it.

James Barnett has been driving his cedar poles down to Andover Dam during the last few days.

Master James Barnett and Fred Jenkins were home from Gould Academy over the week end. Fred Jenkins brought James Stevens home as a guest.

C. A. Jenkins hauled two loads of telephone poles to Gray recently.

TWO-MINUTE SERMON

by REV. GEORGE HENRY

DOUBTS

John was in Herod's prison. He began to question the Messiahship of Jesus. Jesus Christ said, "Go tell John the things you have seen and heard." This was our Lord's method of dealing with doubt, and it is scarcely to be expected that we will find a better. If we had no way to settle doubts except by argument, we might argue; but it is the height of folly to depend upon argument when we can offer facts. Does a man doubt that Jesus can save a man from his sins? Don't dispute with him; show him someone whom He has saved from his sins. Then again, you may have evidence within yourself. I know that Christ has power on earth to forgive sins. I know that He gives peace and satisfaction the deepest craving of the soul. I know what He has done for my mother, for I see His life in her life. I may be troubled about doctrine, but I see what Jesus Christ has done and is doing every day, and that settles it.

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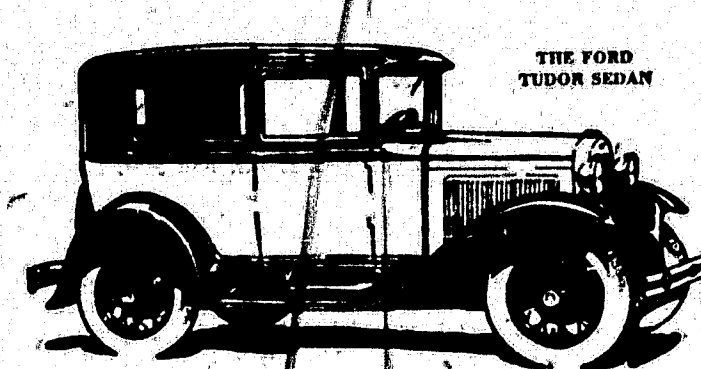
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Team Work for Cupid

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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"IT OUGHT to be a criminal offense in these office buildings to look things that smell like that," said Jim Walbrook gloomily as he sniffed long and deep of the fragrance that came from an adjacent office. He was not aware, of course, that sounds travel as well as odors and that a good deal of smiling was going on between the miscreants who were bending over a delicious pun of sweetbread and bacon. "I'll bet that's the same concoction my mother always fixes for me when I get home."

"I don't blame you a bit for feeling that way, old man. I'm so sick of potatoes fried in ancient grease and the old outside leaves of lettuce and doctored cream and like stuff we have to eat that I'd almost get married for the sake of decent fodder."

The two girls in the decorating office, or rather the improvised kitchen of their office, exchanged glances of sympathy for those two men whose voices reached them.

Jane looked profound and exclaimed, "I have a perfect type of brain wave. Suppose we find out which office those voices come from and send them in a bill for lamp shades. They will no doubt come up and make an awful row and we can politely explain our error. By that time the damage will be done—we will be more or less acquainted with them."

A day later Jim and Jack received, among other bills, a fairly large one for ten pink chiffon lamp shades.

"Pink chiffon nothing!" said Jim. "Who in the dickens thinks we have pink shades in our young lives?"

"Gee! I wish we did have. I'd foot that bill gladly if there was some one waiting at home in the soft shimmer of pink chiffon shades for me."

"Well, believe me, I'm going up to tell these dames, June and Jane, that we have enough bills of our own without paying some one else's."

Jim went out, inlaid into the corridor to discover that No. 9 was just around the corner from their own office.

He went into the dainty reception room, the bill fluttering in his hand. The vision, for there was no other word to describe her, who came forward to meet him, quite displaced Jim's heart—it seemed to be all over his body at once.

"This bill," he said while looking into the fair one's eyes, "seems to have been sent us in error."

"Oh!" gasped Jane, and a brilliant flame leapt into her cheeks. "How awful—I'm so sorry to have given you this trouble." She glanced at the bill. "I don't know how it happened, but it's very kind of you to be so nice about it. Perhaps," she suggested softly, while just beyond the door June was listening to every well-chosen word, "you would let us present your wife with a little shade."

"I have no wife," quickly put in Jim.

Jane smiled brilliantly. She knew that soon some one would be invited to a sweetheart lunch. "Then a simple shade for your office. My partner and I do an immense business in office shades."

"You would," thought Jim, "if your partner is anything the same type as you." Aloud he said, "As a matter of fact my partner and I have been discussing new shades for our lights. They're a bit dazzling." He told the yarn with a serious face and wished Jack could know just how well he was managing things.

"And where is your office?" questioned Jane.

"Number 7, same building," laughed Jim. "We're rather in a hurry for the shades. Do you think—"

"If you will excuse me a moment I will just call June. Perhaps we can go along now."

A second later Jim got another jolt. He didn't think two such darlings possible.

When Jim appeared in the office door framed on two sides with about the loveliest setting a mere man ever had, Jack jumped to his feet and grinned. Jim had apparently picked some winners.

"This is the firm of Jane and June, who sent that bill for pink lamp shades," said Jim, and could hardly keep the joy out of his voice. "I thought they would be the very firm to design those shades for the office."

"The very firm," said Jack. "We certainly have been wanting those shades badly."

The two men exchanged glances of approval. Rather nice team work, they thought. But it would be a long time before they found out that other team work had made their efforts like those of a simple child.

And Cupid, having shot four arrows, went joyously on his way.

"Another of those double weddings," he commented.

Odd Effect of Arctic Air

Sir Douglas Haakon, commander of the British, Australian, and New Zealand Antarctic research expedition reports an interesting incident. Last October a case of eggs was taken on board the Discovery at Capetown, South Africa. The eggs became stale and nobody in the crew would eat them. But the Antarctic climate rejuvenated the entire case. Under the bracing air of the south polar regions the eggs regained their freshness and were served for breakfast. Pathfinder.

The Boyhood of Famous Americans

By J. V. Fitzgerald

Walter S. Gifford

College students, if they are ambitious and need to make their way

in the world, begin to hunt jobs in the spring before their graduation. Walter S. Gifford was in this class. He decided, in his senior year at Harvard, that he wanted to work for the General Electric company.

He sought no friends to find an opening for him. Instead he sat

down and wrote a letter applying for a job. He directed the envelope to the Western Electric company by mistake. He received an application blank from that company in reply.

While embarrassed by his error in writing a letter to General Electric, and then sending it in an envelope addressed to Western Electric, he forgot about it when he was hired as a clerk by the latter company. His pay was \$10 a week.

His letter of application might well serve as a model to young men today who are seeking to get their start in the business world. He wrote, in part: "It is my wish to enter some good business as soon as possible after I leave here. Now if there is only some position (no matter what, provided there will be a fair chance for a rise if it is deserved) in the General Electric company, I should like to try it and would endeavor to suit."

"The fact that for two years out here, I studied a great deal on the mechanical side (mathematics, chemistry, etc.) may help as to the kind of a position I could fill. I began with the intention of becoming a mining engineer, but for several reasons have abandoned it."

"If you wish any references, etc., I think I could get them, for, of course, you know nothing about what sort of a fellow I am."

Walter S. Gifford was born in Salem, Mass., in 1885. He wrote his letter of application in 1901, the year he was graduated from Harvard.

His early education was received in the public schools of his native city. He was a bright student and was able to enter high school when he was eleven years old. He completed his course at Harvard in three years.

The future head of the American Telephone and Telegraph company was not a very husky and robust lad. When his companions were playing baseball, football and other games he was generally off getting his exercise and recreation by collecting butterflies and other insects. He had a notable collection when he was a high school pupil. They were all catalogued in his Latin names.

His mother had been a school teacher before her marriage. While she had no children, she was able to devote much time to teaching her son Walter. The lad's memory was not of the best when he was a schoolboy and, as a result he learned early to dig out the facts. He was able to remember them by not attempting to clutter his mind with non-essential details.

It was an excellent lesson for the youngster to learn. Perhaps much of his success in the business world can be laid to his ability to eliminate unimportant details and get down to the bed rock of a proposition.

His college course was a success. It didn't give him an inflated idea of his knowledge or ability, as his letter of application for his first job shows. He had learned that a man has to begin at the bottom to be of real value to himself or to a business. He was willing, as he wrote, to take anything as long as it offered an opportunity for advancement if he made good.

He could have gone to work in a Salem bank when he was graduated. His father would have obtained him a position but the youngster had other ideas. He wanted to stand on his own feet. He did so when he took the \$10 a week job with the Western Electric company.

His first job called for him to make the trip to Chicago. He borrowed money to pay his fare rather than to accept it from his father. He was determined to make his own way from the very outset of his business career.

Wages of \$10 a week didn't go very far even in 1901. Young Gifford managed to make it do somehow. He lived at Hull House in Chicago, where he had comfortable and congenial surroundings at little expense. Needless to say, on his meager wages, he had little chance to do anything but work.

He rose from a pay roll clerk to a position as assistant treasurer in a short time with a good increase in salary. It wasn't long before he was chief statistician of the American Telephone and Telegraph company. In that position he attracted the attention of Theodore N. Vail, then head of the concern, and gained further promotion.

When Mr. Vail retired, the man, who as a college boy had made the mistake of misdirecting his letter of application for a job, was made the head of one of the world's greatest utility organizations.

(By The North American Newspaper Alliance.)

Texas to Train Marines

Texas has started a movement for establishment of a state nautical academy for training of 200 youths.

SUMNER

Norace Crockett dragged the road through here to the Peru line Wednesday the 15th making a great improvement, for during the week previous to then they were in awful condition.

Well, well, the Tebbets birch mill crew came to town Thursday at 10 o'clock with Harry Norton in his big car leading the procession, closely following was a public truck well loaded with boarding house supplies. Then came the big boss Silas Keniston in his car accompanied by Clarence Waterhouse. (Silas must have felt disappointed in the much improved condition of the roads) and at eleven came Mr. and Mrs. Averill the boarding house keepers in their nice car, this being their second season in charge of the boarding house, and it seems good to see them back, also of course the whole mill crew, as it livens up the community. Silas sent a truck with Harry Norton as assistant back to Locke for a ton of grain and some lumber. They returned at four and at four thirty came the two two horse teams bringing up the rear.

Irvin, Lionel and Jerry Bartlett had Linn Farrar's horses to haul out dressing Monday of last week. Jerry and Irvin in charge helped Linn upon Tuesday and had his horses again Wednesday to plow with.

Charles Farrar caught the first trout heard of this spring in this vicinity Friday of last week. It was a brook trout and a beaut weighing one pound.

Cal Russell recently lost his horse. Arthur Childs is sawing birch upon the yard for Donald Varney on the Ida Bonney farm.

Jerry Bartlett carried his mother and sisters Grace and Gertrude over to his sister's place Mrs. Charles Russell's for a while Sunday morning.

Linn Farrar sold a bull to Harold Gammon the cattle dealer of East Sumner last week.

Olpha Varney who has been living at Redding this winter moved back to the Martin farm Saturday of last week.

The Penley Bros. of West Paris were up here to the Tibbets birch mill Saturday of last week.

Joseph Bosse has about fifty cords of birch that is yarded out to the Greenwood road, that he will soon haul to the Tibbets mill upon which, which it is said will total one thousand cords for this winter out for Joseph's contract to cut and haul to the mill.

Jerry Bartlett is working at the Tibbets birch mill.

Donald Varney with his Red Truck hauled a large load of birch from his farm to the birch mill Saturday.

Joseph Bosse and family went to Lewiston Saturday in their Essex car.

Rowe Hill, Greenwood

The two went out to Indian Pond April 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard were at their camp at Indian Pond over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ring and children were at Newton Bryant's and Wesley King's Sunday.

Mrs. Hall visited her daughter, Mrs. Mont Brooks, recently.

Winifred Bryant spent Tuesday night with Eunice Salls at Locke Mills and attended the box supper.

Mrs. Ellen Danham visited her brother, Roy Morgan, at Greenwood City one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellen Danham were at Locke Mills Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delphon Howe were at their place here Sunday.

NEWRY

Mr. Rand of Dixfield, with his men, is building State road and working just now between the Enman farm and W. N. Powers' barn. Thursday the trucks hauled 380 loads of gravel from the "pit" to the new road.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hakala were in Bethel last Friday evening to attend the movies.

Mrs. Leslie Corbett visited one day last week at Charles Robertson's. Mr. and Mrs. F. I. French of Bethel are planning to spend the summer here at their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perren of Massachusetts arrived in town last week. H. R. Powers has built a shed to put his wood in that he left across the river.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

Floyd Coolidge has moved his family home from Jack Chapman's camp where they were for the winter.

Mrs. Lester Proof and A. J. Blazo were in Augusta Friday.

School was closed here for the holiday Monday.

Master Edgar Coolidge spent the holiday with his uncle, Floyd Coolidge, and family.

Mrs. Philip Brown is spending a few days with Mrs. Byron Abbott in Portland.

Jack Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coolidge and son Elton were in Rumford Monday.

Machine Elmer E. Rowles took over commissary department of Machine Lumber Company.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW

QUESTIONS

1. Give two uses of the beet.
2. What is the isthmus called that connects North and South America?
3. What is probably the best known constellation?
4. What is a watt?
5. Who wrote "Eben Holden"?
6. In the Bible, who said, "Thy people shall be my people"?
7. What is the dead letter office?
8. Name two Colonial wars.
9. Name the three groups of bones in the foot.
10. What is a subway?
11. Who was known as "The Commoner"?
12. Who painted "The Age of Innocence"?

ANSWERS

1. Plants that live in water.
2. North and South American.
3. A group of stars in the sky.
4. The force with which the earth attracts matter.
5. Harold Bell Wright.
6. Joshua.
7. Collect on delivery.
8. England's asserted right to search American vessels.
9. Three.
10. A very thick mist a short distance from the earth.
11. An association of working people who follow the same trade.
12. Jean Francois Millet.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole and daughter, Lenora and Vern, and Hazen Libby of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes. Mrs. R. E. Morgan and daughter Fay spent the week end with relatives at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings of East Bethel were callers at George Cole's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Yates of West Paris were callers at R. E. Morgan's Sunday.

Many enjoyed motor boat rides here on the pond Sunday.

RUMFORD CORNER

Mrs. Grace Moody has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott of South Paris was calling on friends here Sunday.

J. R. Parren has bought the ferry. Everett Bessey has bought Mr. Farrar's place at Rumford Corner.

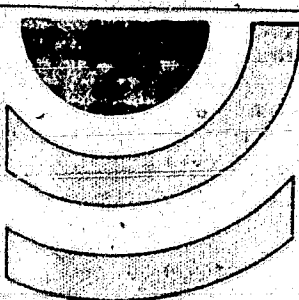
Mrs. James Gould and family were at William Sargent's Sunday.

Leslie and Oscar White are boarding with their grandmothers, Grace Moody. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pinkham had

company from Massachusetts over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jodrey and

baby and Mrs. Lorenzo Miller of Middle Dam called on Mrs. Moody Monday.



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Albany—Waterford

A surprise birthday party was given Henry Sanderson Friday evening by his wife, Mrs. Josephine Sanderson, who entertained the following guests: Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Brandon, Ralph Knight, Hazel Lord, and June Brown. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and a social evening enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue and children and Muriel Sloan spent Sunday at Ernest Brown's.

John Meserve of Lovell has moved to his home at Hunt's Corner.

Mrs. E. K. Shedd has a girl boarder from Auburn.

The schools were closed Monday in observance of Patriots' Day.

The body of George Gray of East Waterford was brought to Biscotown cemetery for burial Tuesday. Mr. Gray was mail carrier for several years and was well known. He had been in ill health for a long time and recently suffered a shock.

Dorothy Holden and Muriel Sloan were supper guests Saturday at Ernest Brown's. June Brown accompanied them to a bird lecture at South Waterford in the evening.

Walter Canwell and family were afternoon callers Sunday at M. N. Sawin's.

Nettie Sawin spent Monday afternoon with Dot Brown.

Lots of people are going smelting now but they do not seem to be very plentiful.

All resident fishing licenses costing 65 cents, issued since the 1929 law went into effect, will be good until Dec. 31, 1931.

INDUSTRIAL REVIEW O
Fort Fairfield—Plans progressing for construction of airport on north side of Arrostook River, one and one-half miles from here.

Plans progressing for 35-mile highway through Lubec, Trescott, Guilford, Machinport, and East Machias.

Frank Ambrose plans establishment of airplane passenger service between Rockland and Dark Harbor.

Portland—Mr. Goodside plans construction of tunnel entrance to Empire Theatre on Congress Street.

Bath Wilbur E. Senter purchased stock and fixtures of H. P. Bridge, Inc., department store.

Rockland—Knox County blueberry growers formed association for development and marketing of blueberries.

Rumford—Work to start soon on construction of addition to Stephens High School building.

Presque Isle—Site being sought for local post office.

Caribou—L. D. Berce purchased Buick agency here.

Freeport—Hilton Crab Meat Factory opened for summer business.

Gardiner—R. P. Hazard Shoe Company purchased Emerson Shoe Company of Rockland, Mass.

Brunswick—Brunswick Box Shop resumed operation on small scale.

Freeport—Freeport Realty Company rebuilding burned Lenox factory for R. J. Sawyer Company, shoemakers.

WEST BETHEL

Raymond Bennett had the misfortune recently to cut his hand quite badly on the sawing machine. Several stitches were required to close the cut. Mrs. Mildred Tyler is much better. She is recovering from an operation on her face.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Sumner of Bethel were at Stella Goodridge's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and family of Saco spent the week end with Mrs. Kneeland's mother, Mrs. Stella Goodridge.

T. W. Vashaw called on friends in town last Tuesday.

Albert Skillings took his little girl to the C. M. G. Hospital in Lewiston recently.

Cleo Bell, who has been sick for two weeks, went to the hospital in Rumford Monday. Mrs. Bell and daughter accompanied him.

George Severy was at his home in Gray over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Adams of Saco were in town Saturday, getting their home ready for Mr. and Mrs. Endell Whitten, who will be there for the summer.

Mrs. O. D. Morrill is quite sick. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost of Dixfield called on Ethel Knapton Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Anderson is moving to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott of So. Portland were week end guests of Carroll Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Tyler of Bethel called on his sister, Mrs. G. D. Morrill Sunday.

A crew of railroad men are at work on the railroad bridge at Pleasant River.

Herman Bennett, Leland Mills and Harry Taylor were in Harrison one day last week.

Stanley Vashaw of Berlin spent Tuesday with friends in this village.

Presque Isle—Gymnasium in high school building being enlarged.

W. and J. Students Walk Out on Their President



Some of the 412 students of Washington and Jefferson colleges at Washington, Pa., who walked out of the chapel exercises immediately following the address of President Simon S. Baker, whose resignation they have demanded. The students allege the college head has discriminated against vandy athletes.

LOCKE MILLS

The Tebbets saw mill crew has finished work here and are now employed in the mill at Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey and son called at Ross Martin's Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Day and Ruby were in Lewiston Saturday.

Misses Avis and Eunice Sells spent Saturday night with Alice and Evelyn Knights at Pinkhook.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Day entertained her brother and family over the week end.

Mrs. Jason Bennett and Mrs. Pete Coolidge are reported gaining.

Mrs. Lewis Cole's brother, Warren Blake, called on her Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring entertained company from Portland Friday.

Mrs. Floyd Redman delivered California Perfume products here Saturday.

Norman Ford has exchanged his Chevrolet coach for a Chrysler coach.

Miss Gladys Sells and Mrs. Robert Cole attended the 4-H Club leaders' conference at Bethel Saturday.

Miss Barbara Bennett was in Lewiston Sunday to see her mother. Her father returned home with her.

Merle Lurvey carried his grandmother to her sister's in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

Miss Louvie Peabody is boarding at her home now and going back and forth to school with her car.

Colds are prevalent here at present. Norwood Ford spent the week end at his home in Sumner.

Brunswick—Albert Malenfant opened Union Street Garage.

Howe Hill—Greenwood

Several from this vicinity were in Bethel to see "Amos 'n' Andy" recently.

Dr. S. S. Greenleaf was in the neighborhood on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole were in Bethel Saturday.

Donald and Barbara Bennett called on their uncle, Willard Bennett, Saturday.

Rodney Cross was in Norway one evening last week.

Will Cross called on Elton Dunham, Howe Hill, Sunday.

Callers at Theodore Dunham's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring of Rowe Hill, and Harris Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole Roger Hanson and Willard Cole were in Greenwood Center Sunday evening.

Willard Cole visited his father, Stanton Cole Sunday.

Mrs. T. Lincoln Downs went to Lewiston to St. Marie's Hospital Monday to have some X-ray pictures taken.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Mrs. Laura Semmes and Mrs. Elsie Colt visited with friends at Locke Mills, one day recently.

D. R. Cole and crew are sawing long lumber at his mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morgan and family of Bryant Pond, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Cole, recently.

Beryl Martin is working for R. O. Millett where Mr. Millett is building road in the lower part of the town. Mr. Martin is boarding at Roy Millett's this week.

Cecile Roberts and Mary Martin were at Locke Mills Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Verrill of West Paris, were at Eugene Elwell's, Sunday.

Visitors and callers at R. L. Martin's over the week end were, Reginald and David Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey and son Roy of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Millett and Mrs. Stel Millett of Greenwood.

Harry Sweeney, Ralph Willett and other friends of Portland were in this place, Monday.

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EAST BETHEL

Pearl Mason of Boston has been visiting relatives here for the last few days.

Clint Littlefield of Locke Mills has been doing papering for W. S. Hastings.

John Howe has purchased a new Ford sedan.

O. B. Farwell, Porter Farwell, Ola Olson and G. K. Hastings attended A. W. Walker & Sons Field Day at South Paris Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Macer and daughter at Wilton spent the week end with G. Oleson and family.

The children of O. B. Farwell have all got the whooping cough.

School opened here Monday with a small attendance on account of many out with whooping cough.

Bingham—State highway section from this place to Moscow being improved.

Caribou—Voters appropriated \$50,000 for construction of eight room addition to high school building.

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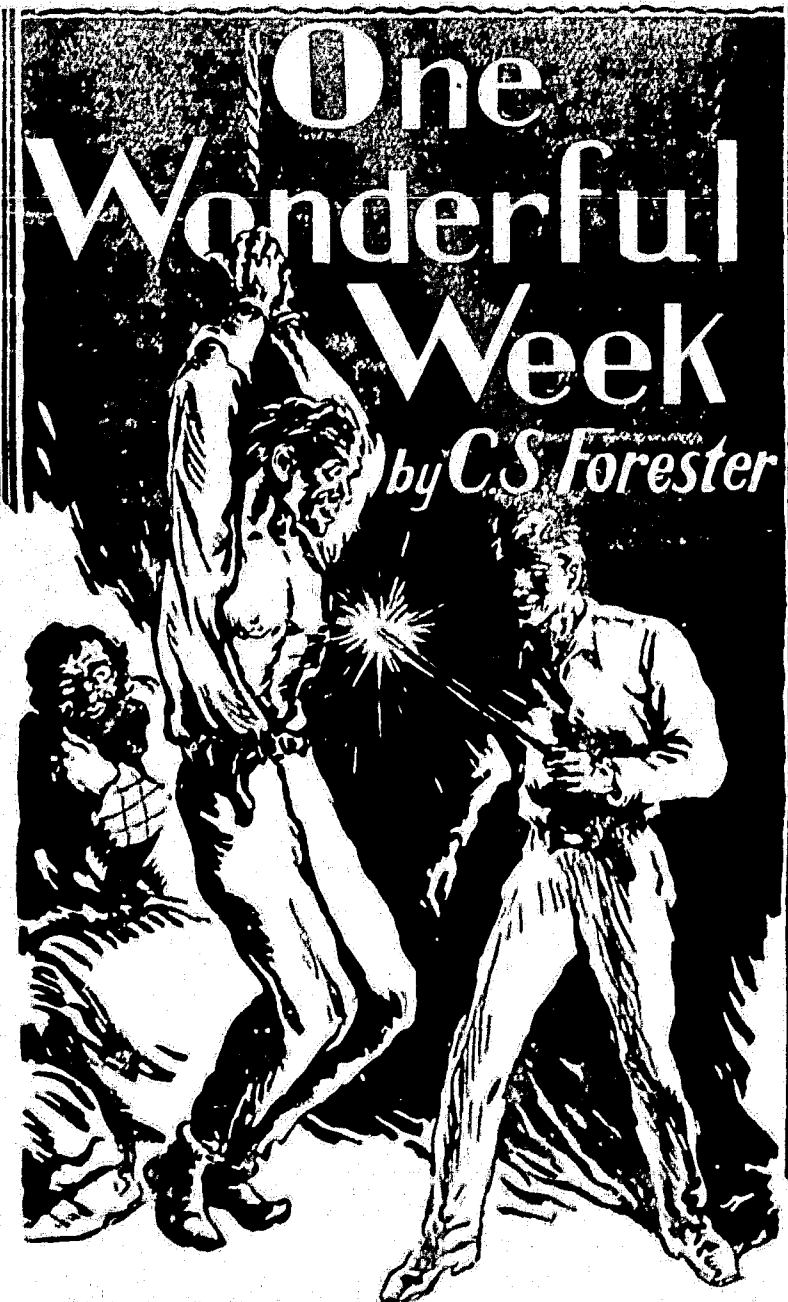
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FIRE ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$79,015.01
Mortgage Loans	2,395,152.10
Stocks and Bonds	23,823,605.09
Cash in Office and Bank	840,439.80
Agents' Balances	1,591,457.72
Bills Receivable	1,171,055.09
Interest and Rents	221,302.07
Gross Assets	\$31,122,028.60
Deduct items not admitted	5,398,725.60
Admitted	\$25,723,303.00

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,064,713.94
Unearned Premiums	12,101,647.43
All other Liabilities	\$33,690.32
Cash Capital	5,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	5,223,951.31
Total Liabilities	\$25,723,303.00
and Surplus	\$25,723,303.00

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BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE CO. TORONTO, CANADA
New York Office, 110 William Street, New York City

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Stocks and Bonds	\$1,109,188.32
Cash in Office and Bank	203,587.32
Agents' Balances	11,125.04
Interest and Rents	
Gross Assets	\$3,018,100.68
Deduct items not admitted	511,674.82
Admitted	\$3,106,490.08

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$309,180.00
Unearned Premiums	1,480,561.82
All other Liabilities	\$73,885.13
Cash Capital	200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	1,049,373.73
Total Liabilities	\$3,106,490.08
and Surplus	\$3,106,490.08

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THE CAROLINA INSURANCE CO.,
Wilmington, No. Carolina

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$13,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$38,253.50
Stocks and Bonds	1,657,754.21
Cash in Office and Bank	106,803.68
Agents' Balances	206,372.24
Interest and Rents	25,132.21
Gross Assets	\$2,447,375.94
Deduct items not admitted	20,831.50
Admitted	\$2,426,544.44

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$126,341.00
Unearned Premiums	763,182.10
All other Liabilities	264,409.14
Cash Capital	500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	773,612.14
Total Liabilities	\$2,426,544.44
and Surplus	\$2,426,544.44

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UNITED STATES BRANCH OF THE HALIFAX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Halifax, Nova Scotia

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Stocks and Bonds	\$2,409,016.02
Cash in Office and Bank	188,570.42
Agents' Balances	201,047.20
Interest and Rents	11,065.08
Gross Assets	\$2,809,698.72
Deduct items not admitted	230,026.92
Admitted	\$2,579,671.80

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$138,085.00
Unearned Premiums	805,569.00
All other Liabilities	\$73,885.13
Cash Capital	350,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	973,832.26
Total Liabilities	\$2,579,671.80
and Surplus	\$2,579,671.80

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FEDERAL LIFE AND CASUALTY CO., Detroit, Mich.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$132,500.00
Mortgage Loans	10,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	685,041.01
Cash in Office and Bank	25,257.47
Agents' Balances	2,050.00
Interest and Rents	12,406.62
All other Assets	85,357.87
Gross Assets	\$937,503.87
Deduct items not admitted	30,936.61
Admitted	\$906,567.26

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$484,442.32
Unearned Premiums	82,575.00
All other Liabilities	78,080.57
Cash Capital	450,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	210,569.00
Total Liabilities	\$906,567.26
and Surplus	\$906,567.26

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UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE CO., New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Mortgage Loans	\$1,011,443.00
Stocks and Bonds	27,104,122.29
Cash in Office and Bank	1,944,947.70
Agents' Balances	1,777,553.10
Bills Receivable	274,430.01
Interest and Rents	104,870.79
All other Assets	5,261.69
Gross Assets	\$30,933,559.77
Deduct items not admitted	702,574.33
Admitted	\$30,230,985.44

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$2,103,019.00
Unearned Premiums	18,083,617.53
All other Liabilities	892,501.80
Cash Capital	4,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	10,646,870.89
Total Liabilities	\$30,230,985.44
and Surplus	\$30,230,985.44

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THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF Philadelphia, Pa.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$167,130.52
Stocks and Bonds	20,075,117.06
Cash in Office and Bank	1,481,670.02
Agents' Balances	1,171,534.34
Interest and Rents	200,899.00
Gross Assets	\$23,095,610.94
Deduct items not admitted	1,447,592.00
Admitted	\$21,648,018.94

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,144,844.00
Unearned Premiums	4,477,822.00
All other Liabilities	3,550,740.80
Cash Capital	3,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	9,075,611.14
Total Liabilities	\$21,648,018.94
and Surplus	\$21,648,018.94

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OLD COLONY INSURANCE COMPANY, Boston, Massachusetts

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Mortgage Loans	\$6,500.00
Stocks and Bonds	7,907,780.54
Cash in Office and Bank	288,501.21
Agents' Balances	249,514.07
Bills Receivable	15,400.25
Interest and Rents	47,275.31
All other Assets	20,495.73
Gross Assets	\$8,541,539.71
Deduct items not admitted	29,538.84
Admitted	\$8,512,000.87

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$880,110.92
Unearned Premiums	1,753,952.19
All other Liabilities	203,941.87
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	5,155,695.99
Total Liabilities	\$8,512,000.87
and Surplus	\$8,512,000.87

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MILL OWNERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF IOWA

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$518,588.92
Mortgage Loans	555,019.15
Stocks and Bonds (Market Value)	1,978,625.00
Cash in Office and Bank	1,01,001.02
Agents' Balances	188,377.72
Interest and Rents	94,589.40
All other Assets	8,316.17
Gross Assets	\$2,735,716.98
Deduct items not admitted	4,118.82
Admitted	\$2,731,598.16

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$134,204.32
Unearned Premiums	1,257,843.76
All other Liabilities	100,971.64
Cash Capital	1,235,488.45
Surplus over all Liabilities	1,235,488.45
Total Liabilities	\$2,731,598.16
and Surplus	\$2,731,598.16

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GENERAL ACCIDENT FIRE & LIFE ASSURANCE CORP., Perth, Scotland

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$1,123,930.00
Mortgage Loans	\$1,150,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	20,095,585.00
Cash in Office and Bank	677,779.06
Agents' Balances	3,682,664.48
Interest and Rents	200,261.30
All other Assets	345,380.30
Gross Assets	\$28,175,399.00
Deduct items not admitted	1,187,659.78
Admitted	\$26,987,739.22

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$10,683,913.00
Unearned Premiums	7,017,486.53
All other Liabilities	1,076,512.87
Cash Capital	550,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	4,757,826.82
Total Liabilities	\$26,987,739.22
and Surplus	\$26,987,739.22

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THE HOME INSURANCE CO., New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Stocks and Bonds	\$97,706,044.58
Cash in Office and Bank	7,700,856.23
Agents' Balances	14,030,997.85
Bills Receivable	24,413.00
Interest and Rents	655,715.00
All other Assets	1,220,710.53
Gross Assets	\$119,405,387.85
Deduct items not admitted	2,509,212.61
Admitted	\$116,896,175.24

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$6,750,000.00
Unearned Premiums	40,721,002.00
All other Liabilities	\$7,031,247.71
Cash Capital	24,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	37,401,005.63
Total Liabilities	\$116,896,175.24
and Surplus	\$116,896,175.24

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MONARCH ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY, Springfield, Mass.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$109,493.28
Stocks and Bonds	1,206,114.06
Cash in Office and Bank	169,760.02
Agents' Balances	11,272.31
Interest and Rents	17,170.53
All other Assets	52,618.07
Gross Assets	\$1,056,314.46
Deduct items not admitted	111,670.96
Admitted	\$944,643.50

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$350,000.00
Unearned Premiums	465,669.33
All other Liabilities	319,440.83
Cash Capital	300,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,144,743.50
Total Liabilities	\$1,144,743.50
and Surplus	\$1,144,743.50

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SOUTHERN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Stocks and Bonds	\$2,750,643.24
Cash in Office and Bank	347,093.27
Agents' Balances	215,234.34
Interest and Rents	17,214.00
All other Assets	7,345.16
Gross Assets	\$3,357,529.99
Deduct items not admitted	211,417.74
Admitted	\$3,146,112.25

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$103,011.00
Unearned Premiums	1,997,580.00
All other Liabilities	135,201.00
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,125,901.31
Total Liabilities	\$3,146,112.25
and Surplus	\$3,146,112.25

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PATRIOTIC INSURANCE COMPANY, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Stocks and Bonds	\$2,210,675.00
Cash in Office and Bank	159,889.33
Agents' Balances	140,002.82
Interest and Rents	24,125.77
All other Assets	1,208.77
Gross Assets	\$2,535,891.69
Deduct items not admitted	20,181.45
Admitted	\$2,515,710.24

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$102,708.00
Unearned Premiums	508,030.45
All other Liabilities	46,340.00
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,064,631.83
Total Liabilities	\$2,515,710.24
and Surplus	\$2,515,710.24

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BOSTON INSURANCE COMPANY, 87 Albany Street, Boston, Mass.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$1,304,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$1,304,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	20,403,871.00
Cash in Office and Bank	446,901.26
Agents' Balances	1,008,129.38
Bills Receivable	88,085.94
Interest and Rents	85,417.17
All other Assets	112,516.12
Gross Assets	\$23,718,810.50
Deduct items not admitted	123,186.50
Admitted	\$23,595,624.00

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,725,468.75
Unearned Premiums	5,703,535.38
All other Liabilities	905,280.42
Cash Capital	3,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	12,141,342.42
Total Liabilities	\$23,595,624.00
and Surplus	\$23,595,624.00

G-1

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, Newark, New Jersey

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$42,386,296.04
Mortgage Loans	\$115,360,917.08
Stocks and Bonds	189,250,001.08
Cash in Office and Bank	19,235,474.08
Agents' Balances	37,450,003.84
Interest and Rents	61,035,100.38
All other Assets	
Gross Assets	\$2,494,755,114.61
Deduct items not admitted	2,984,981.71
Admitted	\$2,491,770,132.90

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$19,649,757.00
Unearned Premiums	\$1,380,002.52
All other Liabilities	2,306,448,288.72
Cash Capital	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	66,297,124.66
Total Liabilities	\$2,491,770,132.90
and Surplus	\$2,491,770,132.90

G-1

FIREMEN'S INSURANCE CO., Newark, N. J.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$4,350,000.00
Mortgage Loans	2,040,000.35
Stocks and Bonds	70,481,007.35
Cash in Office and Bank	729,247.60
Agents' Balances	1,279,052.00
Bills Receivable	58,301.00
Interest and Rents	181,137.08
All other Assets	118,650.09
Gross Assets	\$79,405,963.00
Deduct items not admitted	27,104,406.60
Admitted	\$52,301,556.40

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,301,768.67
Unearned Premiums	9,004,497.58
All other Liabilities	2,400,044.95
Cash Capital	18,792,020.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	20,051,705.20
Total Liabilities	\$22,300,996.40
and Surplus	\$74,602,552.60

G-1

THE METROPOLITAN CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$450,100.73
Mortgage Loans	1,990,775.00
Stocks and Bonds	9,659,341.75
Cash in Office and Bank	322,114.30
Agents' Balances	2,845,000.13
Bills Receivable	8,050,000.23
Interest and Rents	134,241.93
All other Assets	518,901.20
Gross Assets	\$15,438,953.40
Deduct items not admitted	909,090.18
Admitted	\$14,529,863.21

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$5,201,222.30
Unearned Premiums	\$1,425,455.45
All other Liabilities	1,676,426.71
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	2,486,958.76
Total Liabilities	\$14,529,863.21
and Surplus	\$14,529,863.21

G-1

STANDARD ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY, Detroit, Michigan

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$1,376,702.50
Mortgage Loans	\$1,376,702.50
Stocks and Bonds	16,109,089.80
Cash in Office and Bank	1,432,243.48
Agents' Balances	3,424,494.03
Bills Receivable	13,777.38
Interest and Rents	156,808.67
All other Assets	441,292.47
Gross Assets	\$23,977,270.43
Deduct items not admitted	136,957.87
Admitted	\$23,840,312.56

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$10,061,034.41
Unearned Premiums	7,769,369.43
All other Liabilities	1,274,307.74
Cash Capital	2,500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,235,600.98
Total Liabilities	\$23,840,312.56
and Surplus	\$23,840,312.56

G-1

UNITED STATES CASUALTY COMPANY, New York City, New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Mortgage Loans	\$1,148,500.00
Stocks and Bonds	14,600,000.00
Cash in Office and Bank	\$7,770,000.00
Agents' Balances	416,169.24
Interest and Rents	
All other Assets	
Gross Assets	\$23,934,669.24
Deduct items not admitted	679,162.00
Admitted	\$23,255,507.24

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1930

Net Unpaid Losses	\$3,083,869.00
Unearned Premiums	610,071.00
All other Liabilities	3,353,830.00
Cash Capital	877,117.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,500,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$11,629,807.00
and Surplus	\$11,629,807.00

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CANDY FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, OAKDEN, N. J.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1930

Real Estate	\$338,224.48
Mortgage Loans	1,970,587.50
Stocks and Bonds	4,570,297.00

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PIANO TUNING—J. L. White will be in Bethel early in May. Orders with E. J. Taylor or write Box 9, Auburn, Me.

HANOVER

Arthur H. is in some better at this writing. Whittier, son of Lawrence, was a recent visitor in town. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howe of New York were in town at Forest Hill on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mills and son were at W. W. Worcester's for the week end.

Mrs. Mary Merrill of South Paris was a guest of the family of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. of Bethel, where she attended the church service on Sunday.

Mrs. George Hyde is spending the week in Bethel.

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SHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor

9:30 Church School. Miss Ida Packard, Superintendent. Today we begin a new coat of that will continue until the summer vacation. This time it will be between the boys and the girls. The boys say they are going to win. Well, we shall see. The plan is to celebrate the victory with a good old fashioned picnic.

10:45. Morning worship. The Grange will attend this service in a body. The Pastor's subject will be "The Harvest Fields of the World." There are more fields to be sown in America and the world than those that are sown in and called farms.

There is no more important industry than agriculture; but the production of food alone may after all leave the world impoverished.

6:30. Comrades of the Way. Subject, What do boys want to find in their "Ideal Girl"? What do girls want to find in an "Ideal Boy"? Leaders, Program Committee.

BETHEL M. E. CHURCH

Rev. R. C. Dabzell, Minister
There will be no services at the Methodist Church, Sunday, April 26. The meeting of the Epworth League is also omitted Sunday evening.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Chapman Street
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Probation after Death.
Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

LOCKE MILLS CHURCH

Rev. R. C. Dabzell, Pastor
Sunday School, 1:30 P. M.
The church services will be omitted.

MASON

The teacher, Mrs. Alta Brooks, spent the week end at her home at West Bethel.

School closes Friday for a vacation of one week.

Robert Church of Bethel is saving wood in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Luxton and daughter Barbara of Bethel were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Merrill.

J. Bennett Pike and party of Bridgeport spent the week end at their camp here and enjoyed the early fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott and two children of West Bethel were Sunday callers at Ernest Merrill's.

Lawrence Grover and friend, Ray Randall, spent the week end at Mr. Grover's camp here.

Mrs. May Merrill and two children spent the Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Robert Clough, at Bethel.

Mrs. Ernest Merrill spent her birthday, Tuesday, April 21, with Mrs. Mary Abbott and family at West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mason of West Bethel were recent callers in town.

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Magalloway and Vicinity

Peter Littlehale, Gerald Littlehale,

Leah Littlehale, Clifton Littlehale, and Littlehale, Leon Bennett, George Bennett, George Harvey, Ernest Bennett, and Percy Hart have been working on the Abbott Brook drive. LeRoy Bennett was cook and Ellis Olson was cook.

Harry Hart has started to build his garage.

Elizabeth Haldane spent the week end in Errol, N. H.

Edith Knowlton spent the week end in South Paris.

Miss Pearl Bennett and Mrs. Cecil Patten and son from South Portland were guests at Clinton Bennett's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Littlehale had guests from Sabattus over the week end.

Church services and Sunday School were held in the school house Sunday afternoon by Rev. Robert Haldane.

From the outlook now it looks as though we were due for a hot dry summer.

EAST WATERFORD

Mr. and Mrs. William McKay and daughter Dorothy were Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. Omar Moxey's and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Heath's.

Leon Bean is working in the mill for J. B. Haskell.

Helen Sawin called on L. C. Waterhouse Sunday.

Lila Millett was in Norway Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKay took supper Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Heath.

Leon Bean and George York were in Norway Saturday evening.

Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. George Bean's were Miss Mildred Wallace and Miss Evelyn Alden, both of Newwood, Mass., Stanley Wallace and Anna Wallace.

Mildred Moxey, Mabel McKay and Miranda Heath visited all day Saturday in Norway.

Born

In Andover, April 18, to the wife of W. H. Cutting, a son.

In Andover, April 19, to the wife of Eugene Swan, a son.

In South Paris, April 14, to the wife of Laurette L. Brown, a son, Raymond LeRoy.

In West Paris, April 15, to the wife of Leonard Austin of Bryant Pond, a daughter, Heidi Edith.

In Paris, April 2, to the wife of August Niskanen, a daughter, Evelyn Dorothy.

In South Paris, March 31, to the wife of Aea Wing, a son, Glenn Gerald.

Married

In South Paris, April 7, by Rev. C. H. Young, Vivian W. Brown and Miss Florence M. Leonard, both of Norway.

In New York, April 8, by Rev. Christian Grosvener, Allison Pierce Lawson and Miss Alice Josephine Scott of Mechanic Falls.

In South Paris, April 11, by Rev. E. B. Kelley, Frank G. Howe of Norway and Miss A. Marie P. Delap of Mechanic Falls.

In Boston, Mass., April 12, by Rev. John Smith I. we, Chester B. Whittier of Augusta and Miss Helen M. Turner of Norway.

In Norway, April 28, by Rev. W. W. Lyon, Evelyn Richards of Mechanic Falls and Miss I. a Merrill of Norway.

Died

In North Paris, April 14, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hart.

In Oxford, April 17, F. L. Manner, aged 69 years.

In Andover, April 17, Mrs. Abbie Averill, aged 82 years.

In Bethel, April 18, Mrs. Alice Ewing, wife of Arthur Ewing, aged 62 years.

BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening with all officers present excepting one. There was a large attendance, with visitors from Paris Grange. After the business meeting the following program was put on.

Song, "What feature of the Grange do you enjoy the most?"

Recitation, "Bingen on the Rhine,"

Song, "Maine,"

Original poem, "The Grange is Marching On,"

Grange Skit, "Several of the Young People Confess, Guessing Advertisements"

The Star Birthday Club met with Mrs. Flora Cole last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Edith Abbott were the hostesses. After the business meeting refreshments were served. There were 20 members present.

The Garden Club held its regular meeting Wednesday evening with a small attendance. A special meeting was appointed April 29. They want everyone to come.

The young people from Rowe Hill will present a drama at the Grange Hall Friday evening.

Mrs. Anna Perham, who has been spending the winter in West Somerville, Mass., has come to her home here for the summer. Her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Houghton, and granddaughter, Doris Houghton, and girl friend came with Mr. Young by automobile. They returned to Somerville the next day.

Mrs. Florence Cushman was the guest of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman, Monday.

The Girl Scouts held a whist party at the town hall Friday evening. Some over \$4.00 was made, and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The P. T. A. held a benefit whist party at Abner Mann's Monday evening with a good attendance. There were six tables. Mrs. Ida Farum held the highest score and Walter Ordway the lowest.

There have been some large salmon caught from the lake. Mr. and Mrs. Hans from Connecticut caught one weighing seven pounds and one seven pounds and three ounces, and Homer Farum caught one weighing 8 1/2 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter at Mrs. Emory's, West Paris.

Mrs. Bertha Packard and mother, Mrs. Mattie George, were in the place Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Cole from Norway spent last week in her rent here, returning

MINIMUM HEIGHT STANDARD OF MARINE CORPS LOWERED

A statement of interest to many young men is the following received from Lieut. Col. Callhoun Ancrum of the U. S. M. C. Recruiting District of Boston. He states that the minimum height standard which was five feet six inches has been lowered to five feet four inches for all enlistments.

During the month of March the Recruiting District of Boston led the entire Eastern Division in the number of enlistments.

Limestone—\$30,000 raised to construct high school in this city.

The Grange store will be opened again April 25.

George Forbes, who got hurt quite badly in the shop last week, is able to be out.

Quite a number from this place attended the debate at Bates College last Friday.

Mrs. Edith Abbott and Mrs. Charles Clifford attended the training school at Bethel Saturday on Home Flower Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kimball were in Lewiston last Friday.

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Maine's annual tourist season brings to \$120,000,000 is due for increase this summer as Maine Development Commission reports of record catch of salmon indicate that flocking to the state fishing. The Commission reports that the influx of out-of-state tourists has increased three months of the year exceeds by nearly 300,000 the first quarter of 1930.

Three months of this year, \$2,732, as compared with same period last year.

Approximately 27,000 anglers came to Maine in the state's 5000 lakes. Early reports this year this figure will be similar.

Trout and salmon are on Sebago and the great southern fishing spring is moving north the sportmen to the Jangleys, and the great northward march to the Dead River, the Fish River Chain, waters for which famous.

Maine's 33,000 square offer such a variety of fishing is of almost all varieties. Game fish and other species in its lakes.

The sea offers the which brings through the Bangor Pool and Dennyville. But stretching nearly 250 miles, offers a wide variety of fishing. There are red and black horsebacked. The mackerel is identical tuna, but in Maine with light tackle fish enormous size. Spectacular that weighed in pounds.

Maine is the most ways offer easy access the state, and a chain of scenic tours along surpassed in any other world, through regions, forests, lakes, farms, cities and along little its borders Maine offers variety than any other Union. There are 13 in the state, the large Mount Desert, Central and offering the unique Acadia National Park coast National Park.

Settled some four the Pilgrims landed historical association marks are to be found Among the most in the wars of the old twenty forts and block them built when the with the French supremacy in the North.

The State Highway off to an earlier state ever before. Some \$1 expended for new construction \$3,265,000 tenance. Six hundred miles of concrete bit and gravel roads will system with some 500 road under constant pressure.

With all contracts in a lot, work is being rapidly. The seven concrete planned for the finish the concrete by the Kennetcook. With work will start on the between Brunswick and Wiscasset, Warren, and other points on the coast.

The work of blank smoothing out gravel roads is being carried maintenance patrol. As the height of the will increase to 2500 are engaged in construction. Maine highways are not. Out of a total of for this year, 21 have.

It is likewise planned number of dangerous other highway barriers.